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Hello & Good Day Ms. Dixon,

I have many concerns about the potential impacts of the geologic repository at Yucca Mountain:

1. In solidarity with the Western Shoshone I must protest the existence of the Test Site as well as the repository on lands that belong to the Shoshone people. According to Shoshone ancestry and the Ruby Valley Treaty of 1863, Newe Segobia is a sovereign nation that existed long before the U.S. and demands recognition as a sovereign nation like any other.
2. The actions of the U.S. regarding payment, policy on the Treaty and the existence of the Test Site and the proposed Repository are unacceptable. If this were any other nation the U.S. would have acted very differently, I'm sure.
3. Spending our taxpayer monies on an independent industrial problem that most people did not want is unacceptable. The Nuclear Power industry should take care of its own garbage under federal supervision.
4. With the DOE's projected 268 accidents over 30 years, transporting 70,000 metric tons of spent nuclear fuel across public highways within a half-mile of 50 million people is unacceptable. The risks to the environment, the people and the potential for terrorist hijacking far outweigh the benefits.
5. The concentration of 70,000 metric tons of high level radioactive waste poses a high threat of overheating, risking atmospheric releases and all of the canisters will eventually leak, poisoning the ground water.
6. ANY loss of life, whether human or otherwise, in this endeavor is unacceptable.

Carpe Diem - Please count this as my formal comment on the proposed geologic repository at Yucca Mountain.

For the Future,



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Carpe Diem - Seize the Day, by ending the nuclear catastrophe now!